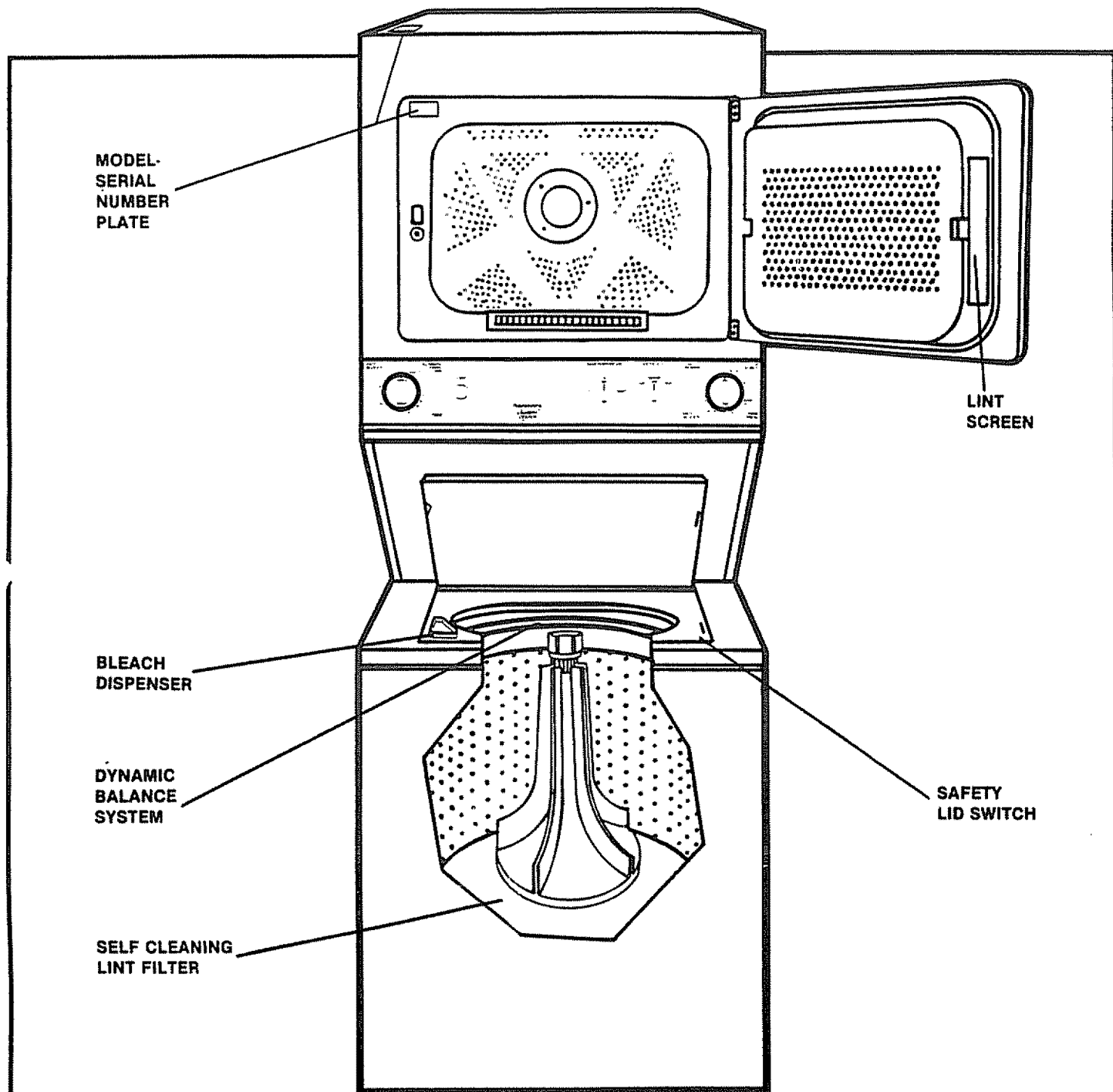




Kenmore Laundry Center Operating Instructions

91701 Electric Series
91751 Gas Series



⚠ WARNING To reduce risk of fire, electric shock, or injury to persons or property, read **IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS** in Use and Care manual before operating this appliance.

THE MODEL AND SERIAL NUMBERS OF YOUR LAUNDRY CENTER ARE FOUND INSIDE THE DRYER DOOR. RECORD AND RETAIN THESE NUMBERS.

417 _____ (_____) _____
MODEL NO. SERIAL NO. DATE OF PURCHASE

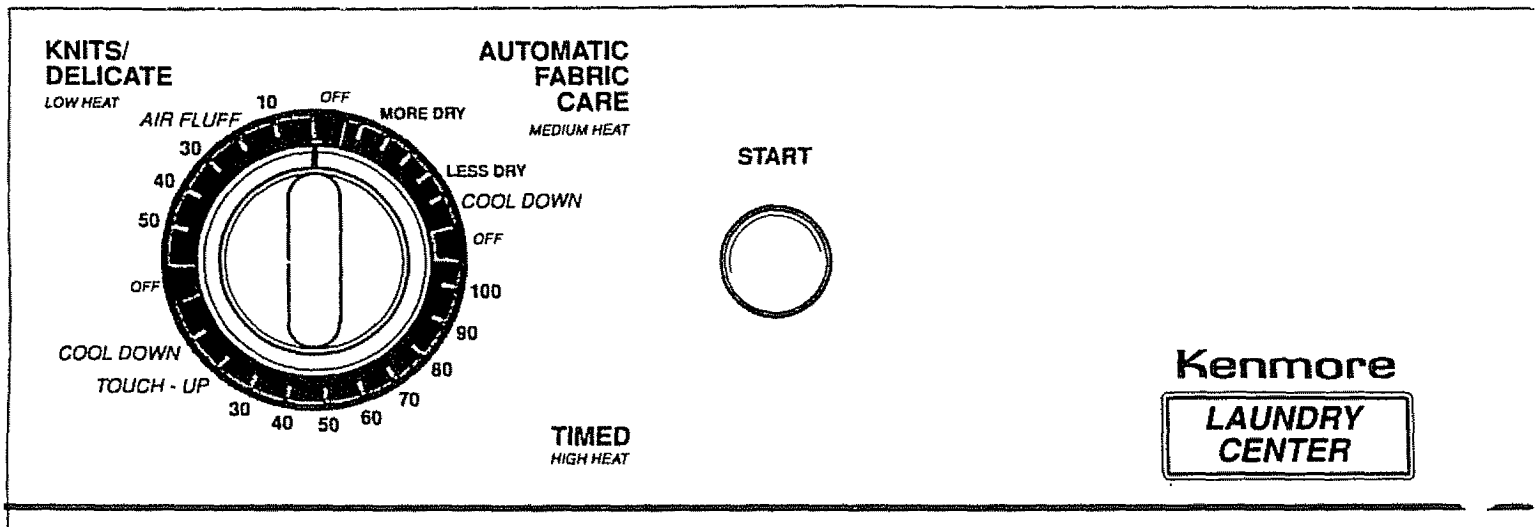
DRYER CONTROLS

DRYER CYCLE SELECTOR

Turn knob right (clockwise) to automatic or timed dry cycle desired. Select **AUTOMATIC FABRIC CARE**, **TIMED**, or **KNITS/DELICATE** cycle. **TOUCH UP** and **AIR FLUFF** settings are also available.

DRYER START BUTTON

Close dryer door, push and hold **START** button for 2 seconds to start dryer. If dryer door is opened during a cycle, the appliance will automatically stop. To restart dryer, close door and push **START** button again.



DRYING CYCLES

AUTOMATIC FABRIC CARE

This cycle provides drying at medium heat. Drying time is determined automatically. When items are dry, heat automatically shuts off and load is tumbled for 7 minutes without heat to help reduce wrinkling. When using Automatic Fabric Care for the first time, set dryer timer halfway between **MORE DRY** and **LESS DRY**. Experience will determine if future adjustments are needed. This cycle works best with items of similar fabric, weight and construction.

TIMED This cycle provides up to 100 minutes of drying time at high heat. A cool down period is provided during the last 6 minutes of the cycle to help reduce wrinkling.

TOUCH-UP Use this setting to release wrinkles from dry clothing which may have become creased during storage or wearing. Best results are achieved by tumbling only a few items at a time with a damp towel. Hang or fold items immediately after cycle ends.

KNITS/DELICATE This cycle provides up to 50 minutes of drying time at low heat. A 20 minute cool down period is provided at the end of the cycle to help reduce wrinkling.

AIR FLUFF This setting provides up to 20 minutes of tumbling without heat. Use Air Fluff to freshen pillows, blankets and clothing and to dust draperies. Use this no heat setting to dry heat-sensitive items such as plastics, foam rubber or similarly textured, rubber-like materials and items made with feathers or down. To absorb excess moisture, add several dry bath towels to load.

⚠WARNING: To prevent fire or spontaneous combustion, **DO NOT USE HEAT** to dry articles containing plastic, foam rubber or similarly textured rubber-like materials or pillows and clothing with feathers or down. Use Air Fluff only.

A cycle signal will sound at the end of each cycle.

NOTE: See back cover for cycle selection chart.

WASHER CONTROLS

WATER TEMPERATURE

Turn knob to select desired combination of wash and rinse water temperatures. This washer offers 3 combinations to accommodate all types of wash loads: Hot/Cold, Cold/Cold, and Warm/Cold.

WATER LEVEL

Select water level according to size of load. Should more water be needed after agitation begins, turn knob to higher water level.

NOTE: Washer will fill and agitate with lid open.

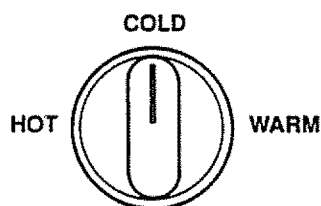
WASHER

CYCLE SELECTOR

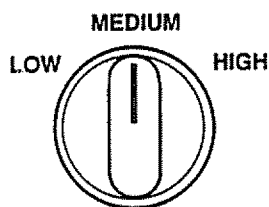
Push knob in to set or stop. Turn knob to right (clockwise) to set timer. Pull to start. Short pauses that occur during wash cycle are part of normal operation.

Select COTTON STURDY, PERM PRESS, KNITS/DELICATE, or SOAK/PREWASH.

WASH TEMPERATURE



WATER LEVEL



SOAK/ PREWASH

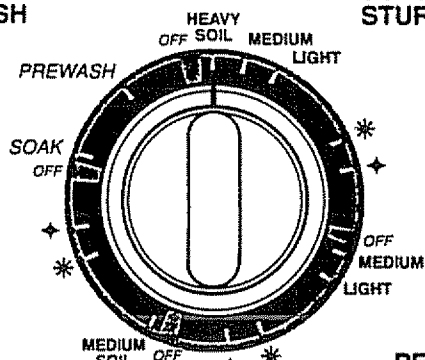
KNITS/ DELICATE

◆ SPIN ONLY

PULL - START PUSH - STOP

* RINSE & SPIN

COTTON STURDY



COTTON STURDY This cycle provides up to 18 minutes of normal agitation, a spray rinse in the first spin followed by a deep rinse and 8 minutes of fast spin with a final spray rinse. Set selector according to amount of soil in each load.

PERM PRESS This cycle provides up to 12 minutes of normal agitation followed by a 1 minute cool down rinse to reduce wrinkling in the first spin, a deep rinse and 6 minutes of slow spin with a final spray rinse. The slower spin speed minimizes wrinkling during the final spin.

WASH CYCLES

KNITS/DELICATES This cycle provides 6 minutes of gentle agitation followed by a spray rinse in the first spin, a deep rinse and 4 minutes of slow spin with a final spray rinse.

SOAK This cycle can be used to treat heavily soiled or stained items that may require more than one wash. It provides 2 minutes of normal agitation followed by 12 minutes of soak, 2 minutes of normal agitation and 6 minutes of fast spin. Use recommended amounts of detergent and bleach or soaking agent for one wash cycle. (See package labels for amounts.) Cold water is used in this cycle.

NOTE: The Soak cycle should always be followed by a wash cycle using recommended amount of detergent.

PREWASH The Prewash portion of the Soak cycle can be used alone to help remove protein-based stains such as milk, grass and blood or to loosen soils before washing. Prewash provides 2 minutes of normal agitation followed by 6 minutes of fast spin. Use recommended amount of detergent for one wash cycle. Water temperature will be the same as wash water temperature selected.

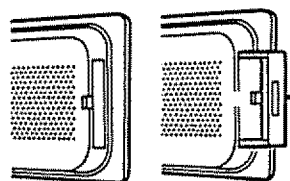
CAUTION Using hot water in Prewash can set stains. See stain removal chart on page 7 in Use and Care Guide.

NOTE: See back cover for cycle selection chart.

Special Features

BLEACH DISPENSER

Pour measured liquid bleach into dispenser. Then pour in one cup of water to flush dispenser. See Use and Care Guide or package directions for amounts. **USE ONLY LIQUID BLEACH IN THIS DISPENSER.** If using powdered bleach, follow package directions.

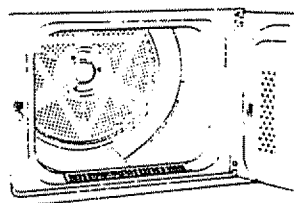
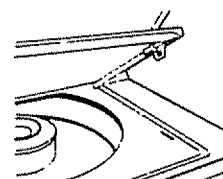


LINT SCREEN

A lint screen is located in dryer door. It should be removed, cleaned and reinstalled before each load for maximum dryer efficiency. If lint screen is not clean, drying times may become unacceptably long.

SAFETY LID LOCK

FOR YOUR SAFETY, washer lid is automatically locked during spin cycle to prevent contact with moving parts. If required, lid may be opened during spin cycle by pushing Cycle Selector knob IN. Lid lock will release, allowing lid to open after approximately 1 minute. Lid also remains locked for approximately 1 minute after spin cycle is completed.



SAFETY DOOR SWITCH

The safety door switch stops dryer automatically if door is opened during a cycle. Close door, push and hold **START** button for 2 seconds. Cycle resumes automatically from where it stopped.

Cycle Selection Chart

WASHER

COTTON STURDY

NORMAL AGITATION
Hot, Warm, or Cold Water
Heavy Soil 18 minutes
Medium Soil 12 minutes
Light Soil 4 minutes
FAST SPIN/SPRAY RINSE
6 minutes
RINSE
Cold Water
4 minutes
FAST SPIN/SPRAY RINSE
8 minutes

PERM PRESS

NORMAL AGITATION
Hot, Warm, or Cold Water
Heavy Soil 12 minutes
Medium Soil 8 minutes
Light Soil 4 minutes
SLOW SPIN/COOL DOWN RINSE
6 minutes
RINSE
Cold Water
4 minutes
SLOW SPIN/SPRAY RINSE
6 minutes

KNITS/DELICATE

GENTLE AGITATION
Warm or Cold Water
6 minutes
SLOW SPIN/SPRAY RINSE
6 minutes
RINSE
Cold Water
4 minutes
SLOW SPIN/SPRAY RINSE
6 minutes

SOAK

NORMAL AGITATION
Cold Water
2 minutes
SOAK
12 minutes
NORMAL AGITATION
2 minutes
FAST SPIN
6 minutes

PREWASH

NORMAL AGITATION
Warm or Cold Water
2 minutes
FAST SPIN
6 minutes

DRYER

AUTOMATIC FABRIC CARE

AUTOMATIC DRYING
Medium Heat
COOL DOWN
7 minutes

TIMED

TIMED DRYING
Up to 100 minutes of high heat
COOL DOWN
6 minutes

TOUCH UP

TIMED DRYING
14 minutes of high heat
COOL DOWN
6 minutes

KNITS/DELICATE

TIMED DRYING
Up to 50 minutes low heat
COOL DOWN
20 minutes

AIR FLUFF

TIMED TUMBLING
Up to 20 minutes of no heat